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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY

CHIEF SECRETARIAT (EDUCATION)

(G.O. Ms. No. 97, dated 13th June 2014)

ORDER

In order to regulate admission to M.Tech., M.Sc., M.Phil., M.C.A. and M.B.A. courses run by Pondicherry Engineering College and other Unaided Private Professional Institutions functioning in this Union Territory, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to constitute the Centralised Admission Committee - PG for carrying out the task of admission to the Postgraduate courses viz., M.Tech., M.Sc., M.Phil., M.C.A. and M.B.A. for the academic year 2014-15 with the following composition, namely:—

(1) Secretary to Government (Education)

. . Chairman

(2) Director of Higher and Technical Education

. . Member

(3) Dean, College Development Council, Pondicherry University.. Member

(4) Dr. M. A. Sivasankaran, Professor, Department of Civil Engineering, Pondicherry Engineering College.

.. Coordinator (CENTAC-M.Tech., M.Sc. and M.Phil.).

- (5) Dr. G. Zayaraz, Associate Professor, CSE Department, . . Coordinator (CENTAC-M.C.A.) Pondicherry Engineering College.
- (6) Dr. T. Selvaraju, Professor and Head of Department, Mechanical . . Coordinator (CENTAC M.B.A.) Engineering, Pondicherry Engineering College.
- (7) Principal, Pondicherry Engineering College ... Convenor (CENTAC-PG).

2. CONVENORS AND COORDINATOR:

In order to coordinate and regulate the various activities connected with admission to the various courses for the academic year 2014-15, Principal, Pondicherry Engineering College, Puducherry shall be the Convenor. Dr. M. A. Sivasankaran, Professor, Department of Civil Engineering, PEC, Puducherry, shall be the Coordinator for CENTAC- PG (M.Tech., M.Sc. and M.Phil.), Dr. G. Zayaraz, Associate Professor, Computer Science and Engineering Department, PEC, Puducherry, shall be the Coordinator for CENTAC - PG (M.C.A.) and Dr. A. Selvaraju, Professor and Head of Department of Mechanical Engineering, PEC, Puducherry, shall be the Coordinator for CENTAC-PG (M.B.A.). They shall be in-charge for the counselling and admission of the respective courses.

3. ELIGIBILITY:

The eligibility criterion for the various courses followed by the Centralised Admission Committee-PG. 2014-15 (CENTAC - M.Tech., M.Sc., M.Phil., M.C.A. and M.B.A.) is tabulated below:

Sl. No.	. Course	Eligibility		No. of seats		
			Total	PY	os	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	
1	M.Tech. in Civil Engineering (Advanced Construction Technology).	B.E./B.Tech. in Civil Engineering/Structural Engineering or B.Arch./B.Arch. Engineering through regular course of study from an AICTE approved institution (or) an examination of any University or Authority accepted by the Pondicherry University as equivalent thereto, with at least 55% marks in the degree examination or equivalent CGPA.	17	11	6	
2	M.Tech. in Mechanical Engineering (Energy Technology).	B.E./B.Tech. in Mechanical/Chemical/Aerospace/Aeronautical/Automobile/Energy Engineering/Marine Engineering/Petroleum Engineering through regular course of study from an AICTE approved institution (or) an examination of any University or Authority accepted by the Pondicherry University as equivalent thereto, with at least 55% marks in the degree examination or equivalent CGPA.	17	11	6	
3	M.Tech. in Electronics and Communication Engineering/ and Communication Engineering. B.E./B.Tech. in Electronics and Communication Engineering/ Communication Engineering/Telecommunication Engineering. Engineering/Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering through regular course of study from an AICTE approved institution (or) an examination of any University or Authority accepted by the Pondicherry University as equivalent thereto, with at least 55% marks in the degree examination or equivalent CGPA.		17	11	6	

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or equivalent CGPA.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	
10	M.Tech. in Computer Science and Engineering (Information Security).	B.E./B.Tech. in Computer Science and Engineering/Information Technology/Electronics and Communication Engineering/Electrical and Electronics Engineering/Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering/Bio-Informatics or M.C.A. through regular course of study from an AICTE approved institution (or) an examination of any University or Authority accepted by the Pondicherry University as equivalent thereto, with at least 55% marks in the degree examination or equivalent CGPA.	18	12	6	
11	M.Sc. in Materials Science and Technology.	Bachelor's Degree in Science with Physics as main subject and Chemistry and Mathematics as ancillaries (or) Bachelor's Degree in Science with Chemistry as main subject and Physics and Mathematics as ancillaries (or) Bachelor's Degree in Science-Applied Science (or) Bachelor's Degree in Science with Physics, Mathematics and Chemistry as major subjects (or) B.Sc. Electronics Science with Physics and Mathematics as ancillaries (or) B.Sc. Ceramics Technology (or) B.Sc. Polymer Technology with a minimum of 55% marks in major and minor subject or equivalent CGPA.	10	7	3	
12	M.Phil. in Physics (Material Science).	M.Sc. Physics/M.Sc. (Material Science and Technology) with a minimum of 55% marks in the curriculum or equivalent CGPA.	4	3	1	
13	Master of Computer Applications (M.C.A.).	Bachelor's Degree in Computer Applications/Computer Science/Information Technology or Bachelor's Degree in Commerce/Corporate Secretaryship/Economics/Business Administration with Mathematics/Business Mathematics/Statistics/Computer Applications as one of the subjects (or) Bachelor's Degree in Science with Mathematics/Statistics as one of the subjects with a minimum of 50% marks (45% in case of candidates belonging to reserved category).		23	7	
14	Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.).	Bachelor's Degree in any discipline with a minimum of 50% marks (45% in case of candidates belonging to reserved category).		Government quota seats in self-financing colleges.		

^{*} CGPA.-Cumulative Grade Point Average.

Note: (i) For all M.Tech., M.Sc., M.Phil. Courses candidates belonging to SC and ST who have a mere pass in the qualifying examination are also eligible.

⁽ii) Government quota seats in self-financing engineering colleges shall be filled by candidates from Puducherry Union Territory only.

4. AGE-LIMIT:

There is no age-limit for M.Tech., M.Sc., M.Phil., M.C.A. and M.B.A. courses.

5. ADMISSION PROCEDURE:

(A) Allocation of seats:

Out of the total sanctioned intake, 75% of the seats are reserved for candidates from Union territory of Puducherry and 25% of the seats reserved for candidates from other States/Union Territories, for the PG courses offered in Government/Government sponsored colleges. The reservation** in admission to various postgraduate courses offered by the colleges run by the society and unaided private professional colleges are as follows:

Sl. No.	Categories	Percentage of reservation
(1)	(2)	(3)
A. Verti	cal reservation :	
1	Open Competition/General Category (OC)	50%
2	Other Backward Classes (OBC)	11%
3	Backward Classes Muslims (BCM)	2%
4	Most Backward Classes (MBC)	18%
5	Extreme Backward Classes (EBC)	2%
6	Backward Tribes (BT)	1%
7	Scheduled Caste (SC)	16%
B. Horiz	ontal reservation*:	
1	Children/Grand Children of Freedom Fighter (FF)	4%
2	Physically Handicapped (PH)	3%
3	Wards of Ex-servicemen (EX)	3%
4	Candidate who are Meritorious in Sports (SP)	1%

^{*} Horizontal reservation: Seats reserved/allocated under these categories will become operational only if, the minimum number of seats earmarked for each of these categories are not filled up under normal process of selection in any category.

(B) Selection procedure:

- (i) M.Tech. Courses
- (a) Puducherry State candidates:

Admission shall be based on GATE percentile. In case of a tie in the GATE score, the aggregate marks of the qualifying examination (3rd semester to 8th semester) will be the criteria for selection. Vacancies arising in seats allotted for GATE passed candidates will be filled up by the Non-GATE candidates of Puducherry General, failing which by GATE passed candidates from other States/Union Territories, failing which by Non-GATE candidates from other States/Union Territories. The selection of Non-GATE candidates will be based on the performance in an entrance examination to be conducted by the CENTAC - PG. The SC/ST vacancies of Puducherry quota will be filled by Non-GATE SC/ST candidates of Puducherry origin, failing which, by GATE passed SC/ST candidates from other States/Union Territories.

^{**} Reservation for all the categories shall be carried out based on the Government orders in vogue and modified by the Government from time to time and on merit basis only.

(b) Other State candidates:

Admission shall be based on GATE percentile. In case of a tie in the GATE score, the aggregate marks of the qualifying examination (3rd semester to 8th semester) will be the criteria for selection. Vacancies arising in seats allotted for GATE passed candidates from other States/Union Territories will be filled up by non-GATE candidates from other States, failing which, by the GATE/non-GATE candidates of Puducherry General, failing which, by sponsored candidates. The selection of Non-GATE candidates will be based on the performance in an entrance examination to be conducted by the CENTAC-PG. The SC/ST vacancies of other States/Union Territories will be filled by SC/ST candidates of Puducherry origin with or without GATE score.

(c) Sponsored candidates:

Sponsored candidates shall be treated as non-GATE candidates and (i) 40% weightage of marks for experience (at the rate of 4% for each completed year of experience excluding the first two years which is the minimum requirement, subject to a maximum of 40%) and (ii) 60% weightage of marks shall be given for the entrance examination to be conducted by CENTAC-PG. The aggregate of marks obtained in (i) and (ii) shall be considered for selection. Sponsored candidates must have two years of full time work experience after obtaining minimum qualification for admission in a registered firm*/company*/industry*/educational and research Institution/any Government Department/Government Autonomous Organisation, in the relevant field in which admission is sought. Vacancies arising in the seats allotted for sponsored category candidates will be filled up by respective Puducherry and other State category General candidates.

* The sponsoring firm/company/industry should be a member of CII/NSI/Builders Association. The candidates sponsored should be a confirmed employee.

(d) Non-GATE candidates:

The candidates under Non-GATE and sponsored categories should obtain minimum marks in the entrance examination as prescribed below:

- (i) SC/ST candidates should have obtained at least 10% of maximum mark obtained in that discipline.
- (ii) The other candidates should have obtained at least 20% of maximum mark obtained in that discipline.
- (iii) M.Sc. in Material Science and Technology:

Selection is based on the performance of candidates in the entrance examination to be conducted by CENTAC - PG.

(iv) M.Phil. in Physics (Material Science):

Selection is by an interview on the research area concerned. The weightage of marks distribution are 20% for UG degree, 40% for PG degree and 40% for personal interview.

(v) Master of Computer Applications (M.C.A.):

Out of the total sanctioned intake (30 seats) in Pondicherry Engineering College, 75% of the seats are reserved for candidates from Union territory of Puducherry and 25% of the seats reserved for candidates from other States/Union Territories. Reservation will be followed as per Government orders in force from time to time. Selection will be based on the performance in the common entrance test to be conducted by the CENTAC - M.C.A.

(vi) Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.):

Selection will be based on the performance in the common entrance test to be conducted by the CENTAC- M.B.A.

(C) Examination scheme:

- (i) The entrance test for each course will be of 90 objective type questions and duration will be two hours for all courses.
- (ii) The date and time of the entrance examination for M.Tech., M.Sc., M.Phil., M.C.A. and M.B.A. courses will be decided by the CENTAC committee and notified separately.

(D) Applications:

- (i) Application Fee: ₹ 1,000 for M.Tech., M.C.A., M.Sc., & M.Phil. and M.B.A. Courses (₹ 500 for SC/ST candidates).
- (ii) The application and the information bulletin for the M.Tech., M.Sc., M.Phil., M.C.A. and M.B.A. courses shall be available on the website: www.pec.edu. Applicants shall download the form and submit the filled-in application with the application fee as prescribed by demand draft in favour of "Convenor, CENTAC PG" as prescribed above.
- (iii) The Coordinators of the courses will regulate the conduct of entrance test and preparation of merit list.
- (iv) CENTAC shall have the freedom to take functional and operational decisions for the conduct of entrance examination within the overall framework of the various Government orders and as modified from time to time. CENTAC may take decision to change the schedule, if such a necessity arises. Any change in schedule or other aspects of entrance examination shall be advertised in newspaper and put on the website at: www.pec.edu.
- (v) Admission based on the merit list will be done after due counselling. Other details will be decided by the committee.

6. RESERVATION TO SCHEDULED CASTE CANDIDATES:

The reservation benefits for admission into various professional educational institutions shall be extended to the Scheduled Caste (origin of Union territory of Puducherry) candidates only.

(By order of the Lieutenant-Governor)

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